

Appln No. 09/878,054

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Reply to Office action of September 3, 2004

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-26, 30-33, 35-37, 39, 40, 42 and 43 were pending in the application. In the Office action mailed September 3, 2004, claims 1-25 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) and claims 26, 30-33, 35-37, 39, 40, 42 and 43 were allowed.

Claims 1-25 are now cancelled. Accordingly, only the claims indicated as allowed, namely claims 26, 30-33, 35-37, 39, 40, 42 and 43, remain in the case.

Accordingly, the application is now in condition for allowance and allowance of same is respectfully requested.

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